

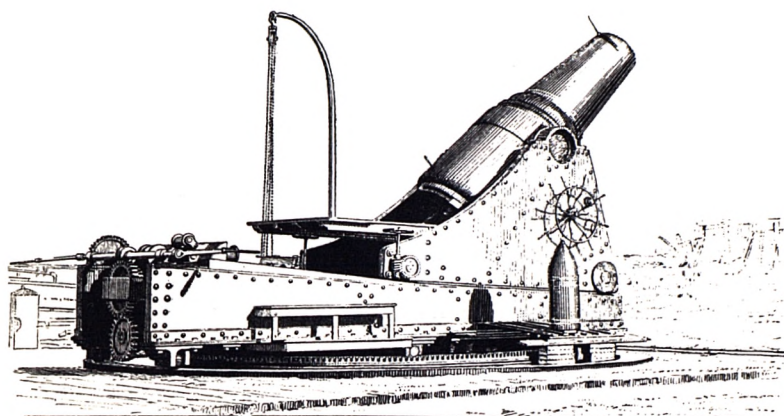
# THE WORMWOOD REVIEW

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from The Complete Handbook of Ways of Getting  
Rich with a Medicine Show

## 1. DYSENTRY

In diseases of this kind  
the Indians use the root and  
leaves of the blackberry bush--  
a decoction of which  
in hot water, well boiled down,  
is taken in doses of a gill  
before each meal and before  
retiring to bed. It is  
an almost infallible cure . . .

2.    WARTS

Frequently wash them  
with a strong decoction of  
oak bark, or wet lunar caustic, and  
rub it on the warts a few times.

3.    A CERTAIN CURE FOR DRUNKENNESS

Sulphate of Iron, 5 grains; magnesia,  
10 grains; peppermint water, 11 drachms;  
spirits of nutmeg, 1 drachm; twice a day.

This preparation acts as a tonic and  
stimulant, and so partially supplies the  
place of the accustomed liquor, and

prevents that absolutely physical and moral  
prostration that follows a sudden breaking  
off from the use of stimulating drinks.

4.    FOR A WEAK BACK

Take a beef's gall, pour it into  
1 pint alcohol, and bathe frequently.  
It acts like a charm.

5.    BROWN'S IRON BITTERS

This medicine, combining Iron  
with pure vegetable tonics, quickly  
and completely cures dyspepsia,  
indigestion, weakness, impure blood,  
malaria, chills and fevers.

It does not injure the teeth, cause  
headache or produce constipation  
as other Iron medicines do.

Relieves heartburn and belching  
and is invaluable for diseases  
peculiar to women, and all who lead  
sedentary lives.

6. CRAMP REMEDY

three drops of oil of lavender  
taken in a gill of French brandy  
and repeated hourly if necessary.

7. OINTMENT FOR SCRUF IN THE HEADS OF INFANTS

(for Lizabeth)

Lard, 2 ounces; sulphuric acid, diluted,  
2 drachms:

rub them together, and annoint the head  
quite often.

8. ARABIAN JOINT OIL

A most wonderful discovery for  
producing a high degree of  
elasticity to the joints and  
muscles of the human body: it also  
removes aches and pains.

Used by millions of gymnasts and  
acrobats. Perfectly harmless,  
yet wonderfully effective --  
Agents wanted. Liberal discounts  
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-- Gerald Costanzo

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& a bowl

garbage  
cores  
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tea leaves  
coffee  
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to the dump  
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